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**Docket No.:** GOAC 8768US  
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<b>Re application of:</b> Curtis Goad	
<b>Serial No.:</b> 10/787,339	<b>Group No.:</b> 2856
<b>Filed:</b> February 26, 2004	<b>Examiner:</b> Rogers, David A.
<b>For:</b> LEAK DETECTION APPARATUS FOR LINED VESSELS AND METHOD OF USE	

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**TRANSMITTAL**

Transmitted herewith is:

- ☒ An amendment in the above-identified application in response to the Office Action mailed June 20, 2005;
- ☒ Replacement Drawing Sheets (1 page).
- ☐ A Petition For Extension of Time for \_\_\_\_\_ months.
- ☐ No additional fee is required.

Small Entity Status:

- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.
- ☐ Applicant DOES NOT claim small entity status.

The fee has been calculated as shown:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate – Other Than A Small Entity	Rate – Small Entity	Additional Fee
Total Claims	25 -	22 =	3	\$50.00	\$25.00	75.00
Indep. Claims	5 -	5 =	0	\$200.00	\$100.00	0.00
Total Additional Fee:						\$75.00

☒ A check in the amount of \$75.00 is attached.

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE A**

In response to the Office communication mailed June 20, 2005, Applicant hereby requests that the following amendments be made to the above-referenced patent application and submits the following remarks.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 4 of this paper.

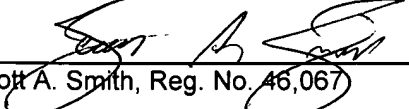
**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 11 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.

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